

SELECTED SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS
2009-2013 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Area Name : Census Tract 6040.02, Howard County, Maryland

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	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	2,606	+/- 119	100.0%	(X)
Family households (families)	2,371	+/- 136	91%	+/- 4
With own children under 18 years	1,152	+/- 130	44.2%	+/- 4.7
Married-couple family	2,082	+/- 145	79.9%	+/- 5.8
With own children under 18 years	970	+/- 117	37.2%	+/- 4.7
Male householder, no wife present, family	101	+/- 87	3.9%	+/- 3.3
With own children under 18 years	90	+/- 86	3.5%	+/- 3.3
Female householder, no husband present, family	188	+/- 101	7.2%	+/- 3.7
With own children under 18 years	92	+/- 84	3.5%	+/- 3.1
Nonfamily households	235	+/- 108	9%	+/- 4
Householder living alone	176	+/- 98	6.8%	+/- 3.7
65 years and over	104	+/- 85	4%	+/- 3.2
Households with one or more people under 18 years	1,180	+/- 124	45.3%	+/- 4.5
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	563	+/- 90	21.6%	+/- 3.5
Average household size	3.05	+/- 0.14	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.11	+/- 0.12	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	7,943	+/- 392	100.0%	(X)
Householder	2,606	+/- 119	32.8%	+/- 1.5
Spouse	2,074	+/- 149	26.1%	+/- 2
Child	2,609	+/- 185	32.8%	+/- 2.2
Other relatives	327	+/- 167	4.1%	+/- 2
Nonrelatives	327	+/- 225	4.1%	+/- 2.7
Unmarried partner	44	+/- 40	0.6%	+/- 0.5
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	3,137	+/- 229	100.0%	(X)
Never married	640	+/- 190	20.4%	+/- 4.9
Now married, except separated	2,169	+/- 146	69.1%	+/- 5.7
Separated	106	+/- 83	3.4%	+/- 2.7
Widowed	50	+/- 49	1.6%	+/- 1.6
Divorced	172	+/- 100	5.5%	+/- 3.1
Females 15 years and over				
Never married	781	+/- 139	24.1%	+/- 3.5
Now married, except separated	2,153	+/- 153	66.3%	+/- 5
Separated	75	+/- 78	2.3%	+/- 2.3
Widowed	138	+/- 67	4.3%	+/- 2
Divorced	100	+/- 69	3.1%	+/- 2.1
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	32	+/- 36	32%	+/- (X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 54.4
Per 1,000 unmarried women	0	+/- 42	(X)%	+/- (X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	17	+/- 20	(X)%	+/- (X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	+/- 88	(X)%	+/- (X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	37	+/- 60	(X)%	+/- (X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	14	+/- 24	(X)%	+/- (X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	72	+/- 60	100.0%	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 36.1
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 36.1

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1 or 2 years	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 36.1
3 or 4 years	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 36.1
5 or more years	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 36.1
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	0	+/- 17	(X)	+/- (X)
Who are female	0	+/- 17	-%	+/- **
Who are married	0	+/- 17	-%	+/- **
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	2,617	+/- 240	100.0%	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	78	+/- 58	3%	+/- 2.2
Kindergarten	39	+/- 45	1.5%	+/- 1.7
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	1,223	+/- 210	46.7%	+/- 7.1
High school (grades 9-12)	764	+/- 164	29.2%	+/- 6.7
College or graduate school	513	+/- 160	19.6%	+/- 5.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	5,261	+/- 270	100.0%	(X)
Less than 9th grade	135	+/- 154	2.6%	+/- 2.9
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	59	+/- 60	1.1%	+/- 1.1
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	903	+/- 230	17.2%	+/- 4.3
Some college, no degree	828	+/- 205	15.7%	+/- 3.7
Associate's degree	206	+/- 76	3.9%	+/- 1.5
Bachelor's degree	1,916	+/- 275	36.4%	+/- 5.3
Graduate or professional degree	1,214	+/- 255	23.1%	+/- 4.7
Percent high school graduate or higher	(X)	+/- (X)	96.3%	+/- 3.2
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	(X)	+/- (X)	59.5%	+/- 5.7
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	5,800	+/- 320	100.0%	(X)
Civilian veterans	448	+/- 142	7.7%	+/- 2.4
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	7,946	+/- 393	7,946	(X)
With a disability	417	+/- 123	5.2%	+/- 1.5
Under 18 years	2,146	+/- 187	2,146	(X)
With a disability	86	+/- 57	4%	+/- 2.8
18 to 64 years	4,941	+/- 333	4,941	(X)
With a disability	124	+/- 75	2.5%	+/- 1.5
65 years and over	859	+/- 120	859	(X)
With a disability	207	+/- 98	24.1%	+/- 10.9
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	7,919	+/- 397	100.0%	(X)
Same house	7,467	+/- 420	94.3%	+/- 2.9
Different house in the U.S.	426	+/- 230	5.4%	+/- 2.9
Same county	12	+/- 23	0.2%	+/- 0.3
Different county	414	+/- 231	5.2%	+/- 2.9
Same state	118	+/- 99	1.5%	+/- 1.2
Different state	296	+/- 210	3.7%	+/- 2.7
Abroad	26	+/- 41	0.3%	+/- 0.5
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	7,946	+/- 393	100.0%	(X)
Native	7,384	+/- 294	92.9%	+/- 2.7
Born in United States	7,138	+/- 331	89.8%	+/- 2.8
State of residence	3,604	+/- 363	45.4%	+/- 4.4
Different state	3,534	+/- 365	44.5%	+/- 4.2

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Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American	246	+/- 130	3.1%	+/- 1.7
Foreign born	562	+/- 231	7.1%	+/- 2.7
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	562	+/- 231	100.0%	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	315	+/- 121	56%	+/- 18.9
Not a U.S. citizen	247	+/- 178	44%	+/- 18.9
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	808	+/- 243	100.0%	(X)
Native	246	+/- 130	246%	+/- (X)
Entered 2010 or later	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 13.2
Entered before 2010	246	+/- 130	100%	+/- 13.2
Foreign born	562	+/- 231	100.0%	(X)
Entered 2010 or later	26	+/- 41	4.6%	+/- 7
Entered before 2010	536	+/- 221	95.4%	+/- 7
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	562	+/- 231	100.0%	(X)
Europe	67	+/- 83	11.9%	+/- 14
Asia	291	+/- 131	51.8%	+/- 19.8
Africa	10	+/- 14	1.8%	+/- 2.7
Oceania	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 6
Latin America	177	+/- 161	31.5%	+/- 20.8
Northern America	17	+/- 26	3%	+/- 4.7
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	7,801	+/- 370	100.0%	(X)
English only	6,887	+/- 357	88.3%	+/- 4
Language other than English	914	+/- 332	11.7%	+/- 4
Speak English less than "very well"	315	+/- 221	4%	+/- 2.7
Spanish	317	+/- 211	4.1%	+/- 2.6
Speak English less than "very well"	148	+/- 154	1.9%	+/- 1.9
Other Indo-European languages	405	+/- 245	5.2%	+/- 3.2
Speak English less than "very well"	83	+/- 75	1.1%	+/- 1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	177	+/- 192	2.3%	+/- 2.4
Speak English less than "very well"	84	+/- 151	1.1%	+/- 1.9
Other languages	15	+/- 25	0.2%	+/- 0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 0.4
ANCESTRY				
Total population	7,946	+/- 393	100.0%	(X)
American	268	+/- 171	3.4%	+/- 2.2
Arab	28	+/- 35	0.4%	+/- 0.4
Czech	9	+/- 14	0.1%	+/- 0.2
Danish	44	+/- 72	0.6%	+/- 0.9
Dutch	125	+/- 163	1.6%	+/- 2.1
English	1,102	+/- 266	13.9%	+/- 3.5
French (except Basque)	120	+/- 73	1.5%	+/- 0.9
French Canadian	92	+/- 76	1.2%	+/- 1
German	2,253	+/- 411	28.4%	+/- 5.2
Greek	15	+/- 25	0.2%	+/- 0.3
Hungarian	34	+/- 54	0.4%	+/- 0.7
Irish	1,327	+/- 393	16.7%	+/- 5
Italian	548	+/- 192	6.9%	+/- 2.4
Lithuanian	194	+/- 159	2.4%	+/- 2

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Norwegian	169	+/- 140	2.1%	+/- 1.8
Polish	495	+/- 211	6.2%	+/- 2.7
Portuguese	16	+/- 25	0.2%	+/- 0.3
Russian	83	+/- 68	1%	+/- 0.8
Scotch-Irish	183	+/- 125	2.3%	+/- 1.6
Scottish	465	+/- 199	5.9%	+/- 2.5
Slovak	34	+/- 39	0.4%	+/- 0.5
Subsaharan African	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 0.4
Swedish	57	+/- 103	0.7%	+/- 1.3
Swiss	69	+/- 78	0.9%	+/- 1
Ukrainian	23	+/- 36	0.3%	+/- 0.5
Welsh	110	+/- 84	1.4%	+/- 1.1
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 0.4
COMPUTERS AND INTERNET USE				
Total Households	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a computer	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a broadband Internet subscription	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

Fertility data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with data collection. See Errata Note #92 for details.

Methodological changes to data collection in 2013 may have affected language data for 2013. Users should be aware of these changes when using multi-year data containing data from 2013.

The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Accordingly, comparisons of disability data from 2008 or later with data from prior years are not recommended. For more information on these questions and their evaluation in the 2006 ACS Content Test, see the Evaluation Report Covering Disability.

While the 2009-2013 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the February 2013 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2010 data. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2009-2013 5-Year American Community Survey

Explanation of Symbols:

1. An '***' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
2. An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute an estimate, or a ratio of medians cannot be calculated because one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
4. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
5. An '****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the median falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution. A statistical test is not appropriate.
6. An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
7. An 'N' entry in the estimate and margin of error columns indicates that data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small.
8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.